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 Pertaining To The Detection Of Human Chromosomes Y,  
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Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2) or 1.84(b)(2)  
 To Accept Color Drawings or Photographs

Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir or Madam::

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner to accept one or more color drawings or  
 photographs in the above captioned application. Applicant believes that color drawings  
 or photographs are particularly useful to the description of this invention because,  
 particularly with the multicolor multiplex analysis, the detected color of the fluorophore  
 is the means by which particular human chromosomes are identified and confirmed in  
 the examples discussed in the specification. Moreover, the color figures demonstrate the  
 very low background that Applicant has achieved with the present invention, an  
 articulated advantage of the present invention. Accordingly, it is believed that The  
 Office should, in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2) or 1.84(b)(2),  
 accept color provisions in the above captioned application.

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The Office is hereby authorized to deduct the fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) for, believed to be \$ 130.00, from Deposit Account No. 02-3240 for consideration of this petition.

Respectfully submitted  
On Behalf of Applicant,

  
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